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Check-In Job Guide - Electronic Ballot

	Action
Check in a	DO NOT ASK FOR ID UNI ESS INDICATED BY DOLL BOOK!!
Voter	1. Ask "What is your name and month and day of birth?" Voter's name will display at the top of the screen as the name is entered. (Use the 4 – 3 + DOB method – enter first 4 characters of the voter's last name and the first 3 characters of the voter's first name then month and day in mm/dd format. Do not use apostrophes or hyphens. Once the name is found, no need to enter remaining letters or month and day of birth.)
	2. Tap on the name entry for this voter. The Voter Record will be displayed.
	3. Ask "What is your address?"
	4. Primary Election only: Discreetly ask "What is your party affiliation?"
	5. If all information agrees, tap button. The "Select Ballot" screen is now displayed. (NOTE: The first time you attempt to issue a ballot, you will be prompted to enter your name. Type in your full name and tap "OK" to continue.) If voter information does not agree, determine whether to use Voter Update Form or if the voter cannot vote electronically and must be issued a Provisional Ballot. If issuing a Provisional Ballot, continue on reverse of this Guide.
	6. Discreetly ask if voter has any special needs or requires any assistance.
	7. Tap Create Voter Access Card button. Screen changes to "ISSUE VOTER CARD" and the prompt "INSERT CARD INTO SLOT" is displayed. A green light will be blinking on the right side of the Pollbook where the card is to be inserted.
	8. Insert card into slot . If the message appears that the card has not been voted, call a Chief Judge to record this incident in the <i>Chief Judge Election Day Log</i> . When Chief Judge authorizes, click "OK" to continue.
	9. When the card has been encoded, the message "CARD WRITTEN OK REMOVE CARD FROM SLOT" appears on the screen. Do NOT remove Voter Access Card from Pollbook at this time. A <i>Voter Authority Card</i> (paper) is automatically printed. Tear it off and place it on the table facing the voter.
	10. Ask the voter to verify their personal information and sign the <i>Voter Authority Card</i> ; then write your initials in the space provided. Remove the Voter Access Card from Pollbook.
	11. Give the voter both the Voter Access Card and the paper <i>Voter Authority Card</i> . Direct the voter to the Voting Unit Area.
Forms	
Voter Update Form	 Purpose: To change or correct name, birth date, address, party affiliation, and record ID for an electronic voter, or report a death. Action: Judge completes top section (<i>Voter Information</i>). Voter completes applicable sections and signs. A Chief Judge takes completed form to place in the Document Jacket.
Orange Voter Authority Card – Provisional Voting	 Purpose: Voter is not listed in the Pollbook. Call a Chief Judge. Action: Judge completes front of form (at Check-in or Provisional table). Have voter verify information and sign front and back of form, then judge initials the form. The voter takes the completed form to Provisional table.
Unofficial Turnout Report	The "Consolidated Voter Counts Report" attached to an Unofficial Turnout Report form, posted at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

Check-In Job Guide - Provisional Ballot

Action

- 1. Use the Provisional Ballot Chart to determine the correct reason code. Tap the "Issue Provisional Ballot" button. The "Select Ballot" screen will appear. (NOTE: The first time a judge attempts to issue a ballot, there be a prompt to enter your name. Type in full name and tap "OK" to continue.)
- 2. Tap on the "**Select Ballot Reason**" button to access a drop-down menu of provisional ballot reason codes. Select the appropriate provisional ballot reason code. (NOTE: if there is more than one reason the voter must vote provisionally, enter the additional reason(s) manually in Step 4.)
- 3. Tap "**Issue Provisional Ballot**" button. The *Provisional Voter Authority Card* will print. (NOTE: the provisional voter does <u>not</u> receive a plastic Voter Access Card.)
- 4. If there is an additional reason the voter must vote provisionally, write the appropriate reason code beside the printed reason code (found between the two lines of asterisks) on the *Voter Authority Card*.
- 5. **Ask the voter** to **verify** the personal information and **sign** the *Voter Authority Card*; then write your initials in the space provided.
- 6. Give the Voter Authority Card to the voter. Direct voter to Provisional area.

Check-In Job Guide – Special Situations

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Problem	Action	
Cannot find voter using 4-3 + DOB method	Tap the "Search State" radio button. If voter is in State roster, but not in precinct	
	roster, name will appear. Voter may be directed to home precinct to vote	
	electronically or may vote a provisional ballot.	
Cannot find voter in State roster	Tap the "Find by Address" tab.	
Voter is not in State roster	Summon a Chief. Chief may issue Orange Voter Authority Card.	
Voter's personal information is wrong	Obtain Voter Update Form:	
	To correct clerical error in name, address, or birth date, judge completes top	
	section "Voter Information", including voter ID number. Voter must sign form. Voter votes electronically.	
	To change name, address (if moved less than 21 days ago), judge completes top section "Voter Information", including voter ID number. Voter must sign form. Voter votes electronically.	
Voter moved more than 21 days ago	Voter must vote a provisional ballot.	
Voter reports a death	Obtain Voter Update Form. Judge completes "Voter Information" section at top, voter completes "Death Notice" and "Signature of Voter" sections on Voter Update Form.	
Voter status is "Inactive"	"Affirmation of Residency" automatically prints on Voter Authority Card. If voter signs "Affirmation of Residency", voter may vote electronically. If not, voter must vote a provisional ballot.	
Voter status is "ID Required"	If voter can provide acceptable ID, voter and judge complete <i>Voter Update Form</i> and voter votes electronically. If voter can not provide acceptable ID, voter must vote a provisional ballot.	
Voter status is "Pend 1", "Pend 2", "ABS",	Voter must vote a provisional ballot.	
"Prov", "TS Issued", or "Voted Early"		
Voter claims different party (primary election)	Voter must vote a provisional ballot for claimed party.	
Extended hours	All voters must vote a provisional ballot.	

Provisional Ballot Chart

NOTE: The orange Voter Authority Card - Provisional Voting form should be used only when voter is not found in the state register. All other times, the Provisional Voter Authority Card must be printed from the Pollbook.

Situation	Reason	Check-in Action	Provisional Reason Code
Voter not in precinct	Unable to determine	Issue <i>Provisional Voter Authority Card</i> from Pollbook	1
Address Change	Moved 21 days or more	Issue Provisional Voter Authority Card from Pollbook	2
Change political party affiliation	Voter claims a different party affiliation (primary election only)	Issue <i>Provisional Voter Authority Card</i> from Pollbook	3
Pollbook flag "ABS"	An Absentee ballot sent to voter	Issue Provisional Voter Authority Card from Pollbook	4
Pollbook flag "Card Issued"	A Voter Authority Card has already been issued for this voter	Issue Provisional Voter Authority Card from Pollbook	4
Pollbook flag "PROV"	A Provisional Voter Authority Card already issued for this voter	Issue Provisional Voter Authority Card from Pollbook	4
Pollbook flag "Voted Early"	Voter has voted during Early Voting	Issue Provisional Voter Authority Card from Pollbook	4
Pollbook flag "ID Required"	Unable to provide acceptable ID at Check-in	Issue Provisional Voter Authority Card from Pollbook	5
Pollbook flag "Pend1"	Voter Registration Application is pending & needs to show ID	Issue <i>Provisional Voter Authority Card</i> from Pollbook	6
Pollbook flag "Pend2"	Voter Registration Application is pending & needs to show DL# or SSN	Issue <i>Provisional Voter Authority Card</i> from Pollbook	7
Voter's identity has been formally challenged	Unable to provide acceptable ID	 Issue <i>Provisional Voter Authority Card</i> from Pollbook Refer to Chief Judge 	8
Voter not in the state register	Unable to determine	Complete Voter Authority Card –Provisional Voting (Orange VAC)	9
Extended voting hours or other	Court Ordered or other	Direction will come from Chief Judge	10

Voting Unit Job Guide

Voting	Action
	 Ask the voter "Are you ready to vote?" Ask the voter for their <i>Voter Authority Card</i> (paper). Ensure that it
	is signed and the Check-in Judge has initialed the form.
	3. Ensure that the voter has a Voter Access Card (plastic).
	4. Escort voter to an available Voting Unit.5. Inform voter of the 2 minute time out and discreetly ask if voter
	has any special needs or requires any assistance. If the voter
	requests assistance, see "Special Needs" section on reverse. 6. Listen to hear the click when the Voter Access Card is inserted into the Voting Unit.
	Note: In the Primary Election, ensure that the proper party ballot is displayed.
	7. Ensure that the voter can begin voting before you leave the Voting Unit.
	8. Initial the Voter Authority Card , write the Voting Unit number on it and deposit it in the envelope attached to the Voting Unit.
	Advise Voter to return plastic Voter Access Card when finished voting.
Forms	
Voting System Integrity Report Part 2	Purpose: Completed if a Voting Unit has a problem which requires removal of tamper tape.
,	Action: If tamper tape is removed, the Chief Judge must update the form.
Voting Unit Problems	
Voting Unit Timed Out	Reason: Two (2) minutes of screen inactivity. Action:
	Instruct voter to remain at Voting Unit
	 Chief Judge verifies that card has not been voted Chief Judge re-encodes Voter Access Card
	Voter begins the voting process again
Voting Unit Technical Problem	Reason: Voting Unit is not functioning properly.
	Action:
	Instruct voter to remain at Voting Unit
	Contact Chief Judge

Voting Unit Job Guide Continued

Special Needs	
Voter has an assistant	Ask voter/assistant to complete Voter Assistance Form.
	 Collect completed <i>Voter Assistance Form</i> and give to a Chief Judge to place in Voter Assistance Envelope. Assistant helps voter with voting.
Voter has no assistant & requests assistance	 Two Judges of different parties must assist voter. Judges complete <i>Voter Assistance Form</i> and give to a Chief Judge to place in Voter Assistance Envelope. Judges help voter with voting.
Voter Needs to be seated to vote	Escort voter to the table-top Voting Unit.
Voter requires LARGE	Judge assists voter in finding and using the Large Type outton
type screen	 on the Voting Unit's touchscreen Instruction Page. If still not readable, Judge obtains magnifying sheet from the Chief Judge or the Provisional Table.
Voter requires Audio	Voter cannot read enlarged/magnified touchscreen.
Ballot	Chief Judge must re-encode the Voter Access Card for use in a VIBS Voting Unit
	Escort voter to an available VIBS Voting Unit and instruct in its use.
Etiquette in	
Voting Area	
Children and other non- voters at Voting Unit	 Children age 17 or under may accompany the voter to the Voting Unit. Anyone age 18 or older not expressly prohibited must complete the <i>Voter Assistance Form</i> in order to accompany a voter to a Voting Unit.
Behaviors	 Allowed: Voters are permitted to use printed materials to aid in their ballot choices. Not Allowed: Communication with others at the Voting Unit. Disruptive behavior. Electronic devices.

Provisional Voting Job Guide

Voting	Action
	 Obtain document from voter. Will be either: Provisional Voter Authority Card generated by the Pollbook - Or - orange Voter Authority Card - Provisional Voting form Note: Make sure that the VAC printed from the Pollbook has "Provisional Ballot" printed near the top between two rows of asterisks. If not, contact Chief Judge.
	2. Inform voter of the possible result of casting their provisional ballot using "What to Tell the Voter" (on the reverse of this Job Guide).
	3. Tear off Provisional Ballot Application Instruction Page and ask the voter to read it completely. **Direct voter's attention to the contact information (bottom of back side). They may check 10 days after the election to learn whether their vote was accepted.
	4. Locate the "For Official Use Only" line on the back of the <i>Provisional Ballot Application</i> . Write Voter ID Number directly above. There is no designated space on the form. (The Voter ID# is located below "DOB" – Date of Birth on Voter Authority Card.)
	 5. Complete "Election Judge" section on back of the Provisional Ballot Application. check reason code(s) if ID is required (Reason Code 6 or 7), record the type of ID the voter provided and record information in Box 6a or 6b of application enter district/precinct number (if not pre-printed) enter ballot style issued: BS1, BS2, BS3, etc. initial box for Election Judge
	 6. Provide the following direction to the voter for completing the <i>Provisional Ballot Application</i>: Completely fill out Parts 1 & 2 and sign Part 3 DO NOT detach the application from the envelope.
	7. Review completed <i>Provisional Ballot Application</i> to verify the voter has completed and signed Part 3 of the application before giving the voter a provisional ballot.
	8. Record the ballot sequence number (found on the ballot stub) on the <i>Provisional Voter Authority Card</i> near the two rows of asterisks. Initial Provisional VAC in the space provided (under the Check-In Judge's initials).
	9. Place Voter Authority Card in the Provisional Voter Authority Card Envelope.
	10. Fold ballot along pre-fold markings, place ballot in application envelope, and give the voter a No. 2 pencil to complete the ballot behind the privacy screen.
	11. Direct voter to the privacy area / screens to ensure privacy during voting.
	Note: If voter makes a mistake on the ballot, see Spoiled Provisional Ballot instructions on reverse.
	12. Instruct voter to refold completed ballot, insert into the envelope and seal the envelope.
	 Direct the voter to place sealed Provisional Ballot Application envelope in locked Orange Provisional Ballot Bag.
Forms	
Ballots	 Purpose: To record a voter's choices. Action: Provide voter with the correct ballot. In General election all voters in a precinct receive the same type of ballot; however, in the Primary Election there are three types of provisional ballots: 1. Democrat – white header 2. Non-Partisan – yellow header 3. Republican – pink header

Provisional Voting Job Guide Continued

Spoiled	Reason: Voter has made an error on their ballot	
Provisional	Action:	
Ballot	Instruct voter to <i>over-vote</i> every contest in which they made a selection. Voter may have up to three ballots.	
	2. Write "Spoiled" on the ballot	
	3. Locate Voter Authority Card for this voter and draw a line through the ballot sequence number.	
	4. Issue voter a replacement ballot and record new ballot number on Voter Authority Card.	
	 Record the ballot sequence number of the spoiled ballot on the front of the Spoiled Provisional Ballot Envelope. Place the spoiled ballot in the Spoiled Provisional Ballot Envelope. 	
	6. Place the revised Voter Authority Card in the Provisional Voter Authority Card Envelope.	
Spoiled Ballot	Purpose: To collect and account for all spoiled provisional ballots.	
Envelope	Action: If a ballot is spoiled, complete proper column on envelope and place spoiled ballot in the envelope.	

WHAT TO TELL THE VOTER

REASON	TELL THE VOTER
#1	 If you are registered and in the correct precinct, your entire ballot will be counted. If you are registered but in the wrong precinct and choose to vote here (instead of going to your correct precinct), only those contests that would appear on the ballot issued at your correct precinct will be counted. If you are not registered, your provisional ballot will not count but the application will serve as a voter registration application for future elections.
#2	You indicated that you moved more than 21 days before the election, didn't notify election officials of the change, and are in the wrong precinct for your new address. If you choose to vote a provisional ballot here (instead of going to your correct precinct), only those contests that would appear on the ballot issued at your new precinct will be counted.
#3 (Primary Election only)	Your provisional ballot will be counted if the local board of elections determines that you are registered with the party affiliation that you claim and the party affiliation listed in the precinct register was incorrect due to clerical error.
#4	Your provisional ballot will only be counted if you did not vote by absentee ballot or have not previously voted.
#5	If you provide the local board of elections with the required ID <u>before</u> the canvassing of provisional ballots, which begins on the 2nd Wednesday after the election, your ballot will be counted.
#6	If you present acceptable ID now or to the local board of elections before the canvassing of provisional ballots which begins on the 2nd Wednesday after the election, your ballot will be counted. If you do not provide acceptable ID before the canvassing of provisional ballots, your ballot will not be counted.
#7	 If the local board of elections can verify the number you provided in either Box 6a or 6b, you will be registered to vote and your ballot will be counted. If you marked Box 6c, you will be registered to vote, and your ballot will be counted. If you do not complete any box in section 6 before the canvassing deadline, or the number you provided could not be verified, you will not be registered to vote and your ballot will not be counted.
#8	If the local board of elections determines that you are the registered voter you claim to be and are otherwise eligible to vote, your ballot will be counted. You should provide an acceptable form of ID to the local board of elections <u>before</u> the canvassing of provisional ballots, which begins on the 2 nd Wednesday after the election. The Chief Judge will administer the <i>Affidavit by Challenger</i> and the <i>Affidavit by Challenged Voter</i> .
#9	If you are not registered, your ballot will not be counted; however, your provisional ballot application will serve as a voter registration application. Your application will be processed after the election.